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VIA CM/ECF

Honorable Thomas I. Vanaskie, Special Master Stevens & Lee, P.C. 1500 Market Street, East Tower, 18th Floor Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19103

Re: In re Valsartan, Losartan, and Irbesartan Products Liability Litigation, No. 1:19-md-02875-RBK (D.N.J.)

Dear Judge Vanaskie:

Plaintiffs respectfully submit this letter in advance of the February 16, 2022 status conference.

1. Update on status of Darring, O'Neill, and Wolfe

Plaintiffs have filed notices of voluntarily dismissal without prejudice for Celestine Daring, Richard O'Neill, and Raleigh Wolfe.

2. Extension of briefing deadlines for Class Certification-related motions

This morning, the Parties met and conferred on the scheduling of the depositions of Defendants' class certification experts, the related briefing, as well as the upcoming *Daubert* hearings. Plaintiffs will be prepared to discuss this issue further with the Court at the status conference.

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Thank you for your courtesies and consideration.

Respectfully,

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cc: All Counsel (via CM/ECF)